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June 20, 2007

Ref: 4219-24586

Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re:

Hearing Application
Tex W Zone, Reservoir A
DEER ISLAND FIELD

Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana

Applicant: Centurion Exploration Company

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Centurion Exploration Company** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Tex W Zone, Reservoir A, Deer Island Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 161 acres for the Tex W Zone, Reservoir A, designated as the TEX W RA SUA, Deer Island Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
- 2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said unit;
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
- 4. To designate a unit operator and unit well for the unit created herein;
- 5. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

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The Tex W Zone, Reservoir A in the Deer Island Field is hereby defined as being that zone encountered between the measured depths of 11,657 feet and 11,870 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Centurion Exploration Corporation-CL&F No. 1 Well located in Section 21, Township 18 South, Range 12 East, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, a preapplication conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana on June 20, 2007. Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a list of the names and addresses of the parties who were in attendance at that conference.

The conference was opened by Mr. B. J. Duplantis. Mr. David Comeaux of Leon Comeaux & Associates presented the plan of applicant. Mr. Jason Talbot on behalf of the Office of Mineral Resources presented a 76 acre plan. Questions were asked and answered. There may be opposition at the public hearing on this matter.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the TEX W RA SUA, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. David Comeaux of Leon E. Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, LA 70508 (337) 233-9839.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

very truly yours

B. J. Dup Kantis

BJD/ht Attachments

cc: Mr. Richard D. Hudson
District Manager, Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

